## **RESOLUTION 2009-2**

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION IN THE STATE OF WISCONSIN EFFORT TO BECOME AN ENERGY INDEPENDENT COMMUNITY; ACHIEVING 25 PERCENT OF OUR ENERGY FROM RENEWABLE RESOURCES BY THE YEAR 2025 AND ANNOUNCING THE VILLAGE BOARD AS THE VILLAGE'S ENERGY INDEPENDENCE TEAM

**WHEREAS,** Governor Jim Doyle issued Executive Order 192 creating an Office of Energy Independence (OEI) to lead the state's effort to advance clean energy and bioproducts in the state; and

WHEREAS, recognizing the importance of energy independence the Governor has asked all Wisconsin communities to support the state's efforts to generating 25% of its electric power and transportation fuels from renewable resources by 2025; and

WHEREAS, by capturing 10% of the emerging bio-industry and renewable energy market by 2030, and leading the nation in groundbreaking research the program will make clean energy more affordable and will create good paying jobs in the state; and

WHEREAS, the Village Board deems it important to establish an Energy Independence Team compromised of the elected officials of the community to show the importance of this Team and will bring other local experts together to serve as advisory members of the Energy Independence Team as needed; and

WHEREAS, the Village Board desires to garner state and federal grants, Focus on Energy Funding and other possible sources of revenue to obtain Energy Independence and authorizes the Village Administrator to apply for funds to realize Energy Independence.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Village Board of the Village of Oxford resolves to advance Wisconsin's vision for energy independence by generating 25 percent of the Village's electricity and 25 percent of our transportation fuels from renewable resources by 2025 and partner with the State of Wisconsin by becoming an El Community.

Passed and adopted this 7<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2009

Erwin Meyer, Village President

Loretta Drinkwater, Village Trustee

Janet Doremus, Village Trustee

Ruth Holden, Village Trustee

Gary Sorensen, Village Trustee

Carrie Rozek, Village Trustee

Ken Driscoll, Village Trustee

ATTEST: Shannon McMullin, Clerk-Treasurer



# Wisconsin Energy Independent Community Expression of Support

Community (city, town, village, county, etc)	Village of Oxford
Population	569
Contact Person	Shannon McMullin
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Leadership	Village of Oxford Board of Trustees

## **Expression of Support**

Pass resolution adopting the national 25x25 goals

#### **Draft Resolution**

Prepared from Concurrent Resolution, United States Congress, March 2006; Wisconsin Executive Order 192, April 2007

The Village of Oxford resolves to advance Wisconsin's vision for energy independence by generating 25 percent of the Village's electricity and 25 percent of our transportation fuels from renewable resources by 2025.

Community: Village of Oxford

Date: October 7, 2009

Signature:

Erwin Meyer, Village President

Please electronically return completed Expression of Support

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## **VILLAGE OF OXFORD 25 x 25 PLAN**

**MARQUETTE COUNTY, WISCONSIN** 

OBJECTIVE: TO INCREASE ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND TO ADVANCE OUR VISION FOR ENERGY INDEPENDENCE BY GENERATING 25 PERCENT OF OUR ENERGY FROM RENEWABLE RESOURCES BY THE YEAR 2025.

Contemplated Improvements: The Village Board, acting as Village's Energy Independence Team, discussed and devised the following plan at the October 7, 2009 Regular Board meeting. The Village intends to apply for grant funding to assist in the achievement of these goals.

## Village Hall & Municipal Building

- 1. Update all lighting to energy efficient fixtures
- 2. Replace all windows from single-pane to thermal pane
- 3. Insulate all exterior walls and replace siding
- 4. High-efficiency furnace upgrades
- 5. Energy efficient appliances in Community Room (ie dishwasher, stove, refrigerator)
- 6. Install programmable thermostats for zone efficiency
- 7. Connect utilities to smart grid devices to monitor energy consumption to reduce consumption at its highest demand (ie cued to turn down air conditioning, refrigerator, etc.)
- 8. LED exterior lighting
- 9. Insulate doors
- 10 Install low flow toilets and restroom flush valves
- 11. Replace restroom fixtures with sensor technology
- 12. Implement solar technology where possible

#### Park

- 1. Update all lighting and electrical in pavilions
- 2. Install more efficient fixtures in baseball diamond
- 3. Install low flow toilets and restroom flush valves
- 4. Replace restroom fixtures with sensor technology

#### **Streets**

- 1. Replace Village owned street lights on Ormsby St. with LED lighting & fixtures
- 2. Update or Replace Village Public Works vehicles to more efficient models

## **Police**

1. Replace squad with energy efficient (possibly hybrid) model

### Offices

1. Replace office equipment with "green" technology